



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Inventor(s) : Katsuhiko TOMINAGA et al.
Serial Number : 10/803,054
Filed : March 18, 2004
For : HIGH-STRENGTH, HEAT-RESISTANT ALLOY FOR EXHAUST VALVES
WITH IMPROVED OVERAGING-RESISTANCE
Examiner : Sikyin IP
Group Art Unit : 1742

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 10, 2006

Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17 and §1.136, applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time for filing an appeal brief, where the notice of appeal was timely filed on January 10, 2006. This petition for a one-month extension of time extends the due date for filing an appeal brief to April 10, 2006.

A check including the amount of \$120.00 (ONE HUNDRED TWENTY DOLLARS) for this one-month extension of time fee is being submitted herewith. In the event this paper or the request for continued examination (RCE) filed herewith is not timely filed, applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee therefor, as well as any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment, to our deposit account No. 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,
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